

House District 14

Peter H. Burchell, Non-Partisan



DATE OF BIRTH: November 9, 1943
PLACE OF BIRTH: Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin
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OCCUPATION: Consultant (education, law
enforcement)

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 18 years
Wasilla 1983 to present

EDUCATION:
Corvallis High School, 1960-1962; Portland State University,
1970, B.S., 1972, M.S.T.

MILITARY SERVICE:
Army, 2 years, E5.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:
Consultant, Center for Society Law and Justice UNO; principal,
teacher, Wasilla High School; founder, Burchell High School.

SERVICE ORGANIZATION(S) MEMBERSHIP:
NRA, Children's Services Task Force, Mat-Su Youth Court, Mat-
Su Recovery Center, Youth Detention Facility, Valley Women's
Resource Center, Food Bank, Wonderland Park

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Community support projects, snow machining, fishing, golf,
family recreation. Help establishing alternative schools
statewide, improving law enforcement with technology
nationwide.

OTHER:

Alaska Legislature; The History Makers of Wasilla; Wasilla
Chamber of Commerce; Educator of the Year, 1992; Miliken
Award Winner, 1992; "Best in the State," Redbook Magazine.

STATEMENT:

I live full-time in the greater Wasilla area and have raised a family
here. I have made lasting contributions to this community by
forging broad-based partnerships and bringing people of diverse
groups together to reach a common goal.

I am a problem-solver and a consensus builder. Over the past 19
years, I have worked to bring several community projects to
fruition. The Mat-Su Alternative School, now Burchell High
School is an example. The first step was to identify the problems.
We established a coalition of community and state leaders to
propose solutions. We utilized local support, as well as state and
federal grants, to fund the school's expansion from 5 students in
1988 to 300 in 2002. This school model has now been
established in 14 communities around Alaska.

This leadership and spirit of cooperation must and will work in
state government. I am honored to be a candidate to represent
Wasilla in the House of Representatives. My priorities are:
education, public safety, job development, roads, and maintaining
quality of life for Valley residents.

It is time to replace partisan politics with statesmanship.

I will work to:

- Protect the Permanent Fund
- Promote budget discipline
- Promote quality education for all
- Support public safety
- Provide infrastructure for continued Valley growth
- Develop long range, conservative financial planning for Alaska.

Vote for change November 5th.

provided and paid for by the candidate